

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF OREGON
PORTLAND DIVISION

MELISSA VAN PATTEN, person
representative for the estate of Melinda
Van Patten,

Case No. 3:15-cv-00891-AC

Plaintiff,

VERDICT FORM

v.

WASHINGTON COUNTY, by and the
Washington County Sheriff's Office,

Defendant.

We, the jury, find as follows:

1. Did Melinda Van Patten's estate establish by a preponderance of the evidence that there was probable cause to believe that Ken Van Patten had placed Melinda Van Patten in fear of imminent serious physical injury on May 26, 2013?

_____ Yes

_____ ☒ No

If you answered "Yes" to Question No. 1, proceed to Question No. 2.

If you answered "No" to Question No. 1, you are finished. Your presiding juror should sign and date this verdict form.

2. Was the Deputies' failure to arrest Ken Van Patten the but-for cause of Ken Van Patten killing Melinda Van Patten on May 27, 2013, resulting in damages to Melinda Van Patten's estate?

_____ Yes _____ No

If you answered "Yes" to Question No. 2, proceed to Question No. 3.

If you answered "No" to Question No. 2, you are finished. Your presiding juror should sign and date this verdict form.

3. What are Melinda Van Patten's estate's damages?

\$ _____ Economic Damages

\$ _____ Non-economic Damages

Your presiding juror should sign and date this verdict form.

DATED this 12 day of July, 2017.

PRESIDING JUROR